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				Art Unit 1756	
Applicant(s): Hidetoshi Ohnuma, et al					
Invention: EXPOSURE METHOD, MASK FABRICATION METHOD, FABRICATION METHOD OF SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, AND EXPOSURE APPARATUS					
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF INVENTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed on June 20, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.